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1-113 (canceled).

114. (new) A method for providing video-on-demand, comprising:

using a TV system to present to a user's Web browser a list of links, each link corresponding to a respective piece of video-on-demand;

receiving a selection of a link;

in response to the selection, sending a protocol file to the TV system, the protocol file including a TV channel corresponding to the video-on-demand associated with the selection; and

causing a channel tuner of the TV system to tune to the TV channel corresponding to the video-on-demand associated with the selection.

115. (new) The method of Claim 114, wherein the TV system includes a set-top box (STB), the STB presenting to the user's Web browser the list of links.

116. (new) The method of Claim 114, wherein the set-top box provides an Internet layer and a video layer to the user's browser, the browser being directed to render a portion of the Internet layer transparent to establish a transparent Internet portion, the transparent Internet portion having a size and screen location specified in the protocol file, the video layer being presented in the transparent Internet portion.

117. (new) A system for providing video on demand, comprising:

a user's TV system including a set-top box (STB) and a display;

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a Web browser presenting images on the display; and

a television head end;

the set-top box including:

means for presenting a list of links, each link corresponding to a respective piece of video-on-demand;

means for receiving a selection of a link;

means for displaying a protocol file on the display, the protocol file including a TV channel corresponding to the video-on-demand associated with the selection; and

means for causing a channel tuner of the TV system to tune to the TV channel corresponding to the video-on-demand associated with the selection.

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